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## V. O. N. REPORT FOR DECEMBER

Work of Nurses Increasing Each Month — 255 Visits Made in December Against 201 The Previous Month — 18 Visits in North Grimsby, None in The Town — 27 Cancer Patients.

Evidence of the increasing amount of work being done throughout the County by the Victorian Order of Nurses was given in a report presented to the directors at their regular meeting Thursday night.

Mrs. Doris Small, nurse in charge of the Lincoln County Branch, showed a total of 255 visits in December, against 201 for November. Mrs. Small told the directors, who met at Vineland Station that she expected the increase to continue for some time as the work of the Order becomes even better known than it is now.

### Appoints Reeves

A resolution was passed asking that the reeves of all municipalities in the county, except Merriton, form a nominating committee to bring in a proposed slate of officers for the annual meeting on March 15. It was felt that the reeves would have a thorough knowledge of the most suitable men and women in their districts. Reeve Harold Freure of Clinton Township was named head of the committee.

The salary of Miss Eva Secord, V. O. N. nurse stationed at Smithville, was raised to bring her to the level approved by the National headquarters in Ottawa.

Plans were made for the annual meeting.

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## RESOLUTIONS PASSED BY FRUIT GROWERS

No Less Than 14 of Them Were Presented to the Convention in Toronto This Week.

At the recent convention of the Niagara Peninsula Fruit Growers' Association 15 resolutions were passed and were presented to the convention of the Ontario Association held in Toronto the first three days of this week. Here is a summary of the resolutions:

First, the association endorsed the one per cent levy on new containers, which has been in effect since November 1, in order to secure funds to maintain an office for the growers' own purposes. This resolution also approved of the proposed merger of the Fruit and Vegetable Growers' Association.

Second, the association petitioned the minister to have the Farm Products Act amended so that money received from commission sales be deposited in a separate account in trust at the bank and not subject to seizure for the debts of the agent.

Third, the association asked the authorities for a closed area inspection station at or near Hamilton market.

Fourth, the association petitioned the minister to have all wholesale dealers, distributors or their agents in the province keep proper books of accounts, and that these books be open for inspection to those authorized, and further to be bonded if it is deemed necessary for the protection of the grower.

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The scene depicted above took place in Grimsby over 60 years ago. Scenes such as this were also taking place in every village and town in Ontario in those days. They were gala days for the farmers and the merchants alike. They were known as "Machinery Deliver Day." During the Fall and Winter months the farm machinery agent in each locality made his sales to the tillers of the soil and then on an appointed day in the Spring all the farmers that had purchased new machinery from a cultivator to a self-tying binder, accompanied by all his neighbours, would congregate in the village or town as guests of the machinery company and have his allotted piece of machinery delivered to him. Also the machinery company were usually the hosts at dinner at the local hotels to the

farmers. Incidentally the merchants did a big business with the farmer's wives. This picture was taken on Main street in from the old Mansion House, now the Mansion Apartments. Note the old two-storey verandah. The building on the right was the old Malakoff. Now the liquor store and Star Cleaners with the two upper storeys razed. Smith's restaurant now stands to the west of this building. Many prominent citizens of the day appear in this picture if there were only someone that could pick them out. Either the late Capt. Randall or his son, the late A. B. "Coon" Randall were running the Mansion House at this time. Note the wagon in the centre loaded with binder twine. The big hotel barn at the back for the accommodation of the travelling public's horses also housed a large stable of horses and buggies for livery purposes.

## FRUIT GROWERS MUST FACE WESTERN-U.S. COMPETITION

Poor Grading And Poor Packing Must be Eliminated — Ontario Producers Must "Wake Up" — Early Peaches Should Not be Shipped North in Large Quantities.

Fruit growers who crowded into Victoria Hall at Vineland last Tuesday for the second day of the annual convention of the Niagara Peninsula Fruit Growers' Association gave their hearty support to an address by M. M. Robinson, secretary of the Ontario Fruit Growers' Association.

Mr. Robinson was to speak on "The Provincial Tariff Picture," but his talk was more concerned with the present high price of vegetables. He threw the blame for the high prices directly on the shoulders of some wholesalers who prefer to deal in the American markets, rather than the domestic markets.

While placing the blame on the importer, Mr. Robinson said "good co-operation is obtained from 90 per cent of the wholesalers, but the other 20 per cent prefer to deal with the imported produce. Their attitude is typified by the remark of one of these dealers to me last year at the end of the

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## ONTARIO GOVERNMENT MAY HELP COMBAT LAKE EROSION

### QUARTER CENTURY ELAPSES BETWEEN ADDRESSES TO LIONS

#### "He's The Mayor Of The Little Places"



Yes, it's our old friend, Andy Clarke, "Mayor of the Little Places", and Andy's many admirers will be glad to know they can be hearing him twice a week—on his regular Sunday morning broadcast of "Neighbourly News", and in a new series he began Saturday evening, January 6th, for the Blue Cross Plan for Hospital Care. Appropriately enough, Andy's new program will be called "MAYOR OF THE LITTLE PLACES", and will be heard each Saturday evening over CBL, Toronto, CBO, Ottawa, CFPL-London, CFCO, Chatham, CKLW, Windsor, CHML, Hamilton, and each Sunday over CFCH, North Bay.

Andy Clarke's a veteran newspaperman who started off his ink-stained career with the old Toronto World, then moved on to the Toronto Mail and Empire, the London Advertiser, and the Toronto Globe. Matter of fact, it was with the Toronto Globe that he started his radio career back in 1926 when he became one of the first newsmen to broadcast direct from a newsroom.

Listen to the Peggy O'Neill show over CHML every Friday night at 7:30, featuring the melodies of Lanny Ross.

#### Doug Scott as a Kid Talked to Members of The Old Club

— Addressed The Present Club on Tuesday Night on "The History of Bamboo".

It was a Grimsby man, a manufacturer, who was guest speaker at the Lions Club dinner meeting in The Village Inn on Tuesday evening and his address was not only interesting and informative but was a revelation to a great many of the members.

Lion Vernon Tuck gave a brief introduction to the guest speaker, and the Club was informed that just twenty-five years ago, the speaker had addressed the Grimsby Lions at a father and son banquet. It was at the Village Inn that Lion Tuck who was a charter member of the old Lions Club, introduced Doug Scott who was his guest. That night long ago, Doug Scott merely had courage enough to jump from his chair and stutter a brief "Hello".

But at this Lions meeting twenty-five years later, the same boy was introduced and welcomed warmly by the Club, and then proceeded to give one of the most interesting talks that the local Club has been privileged to hear in some time.

Doug Scott began his talk about which he is connected in business, by giving a lengthy synopsis of the versatility of bamboo. Although his use of the bamboo chiefly concerns the manufacture of fly rods, it is to his credit that he has made such a comprehensive study of the raw material through which he now makes a livelihood, and his interest is shown in many uses of bamboo, not only in our present generation but back into the ages, even before the birth of Christ.

The speaker outlined only a few

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### GRIMSBY WEATHER

Week ending at 8 a.m. Monday, January 19th, 1948.  
Highest temperature 39.05  
Lowest temperature 2.8  
2 inches snow and ice on ground.

## WATERWORKS PROJECT UNDER CONSIDERATION

### WALTER WEST CALLED HOME BY HIS MAKER

Prominent Grimsby Businessman And Sportsman Stricken Suddenly On Friday Morning Last—32 Years in Grimsby.

New Scheme Being Planned That Would Supply Present Township Systems, Ridge Rd., Smithville And Beamsville Villages—Would Build Extra Large Pumping Station Spot Along Lake Shore in The Township.

A little black and gold plate Friday rested in the doorway of "West the Barber." The little card bearing the one word—Bereaved—was indeed a sincere message, and is how a great host of friends and business acquaintances felt toward the shocking and sudden death of Walter West, who, during his thirty-two years as a business man on Main Street, had not only become an institution, but a symbol of the type of man that towns like this are noted for.

Always an early riser, Walter West was up early on Friday morning when he was stricken suddenly. He passed away quickly, thus ending a comparatively young life which began in Clinton Township in July, 1891. He was the son of the late George and Ellen West, and following a boyhood in this district, he moved to Niagara Falls, but came to Grimsby some thirty-two years ago and has resided here ever since.

He has conducted a fine business establishment here, and many friends will sadly miss their daily chats with the man who was so well versed on sporting topics, especially sports pertaining to the training of hunting dogs, trap shooting, and a vast knowledge of harness horses and all angles per-

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**GROWERS ARE WARNED ABOUT NEW PLANTING**

Advised Not to Extend Acreage Until Present Government Austerity Program Duration is Definitely Known.

The third and final day of the annual convention of the Niagara Peninsula Fruit Growers' Association held at Vineland brought forward several resolutions dealing with high prices and increased average.

One resolution sounded a warning to agriculture, industry and labor to hold the line on spiraling prices to prevent a depression and complete collapse of markets.

The resolution added, "we serve notice that if this inflationary situation is allowed to continue, that the fruit and vegetable industry will use every effort to obtain similar increases on their product, as is being asked by labor and industry."

Another resolution warned the grower to use extreme care as to any extension of acreage during the coming year, until the government make some definite statement as to the possible duration of the present austerity program.

The theme of the meeting was "Grapes, What of the Future." Horace Kilman, president of the N.P.F.G.A., was in the chair and called on E. F. Palmer, director of the experimental farm at Vineland, and Reid Smith, secretary of the W.N. Grape Growers' Association, to talk on the subject of grapes.

Referring to the grape markets, President Kilman said, "we cannot depend on the United States markets, in the long term it is

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### JUST AN APOLOGY

It is not often that a weekly paper, particularly and advertisers because that paper is not giving its accustomed service. But easos do arise.

First the Editor of "Lincoln's Leading Weekly" was stricken with the Flu. Then one of the members of the staff took to his bed. In the interim one of the type operators of The Independent was taken to hospital and operated upon for an injury to his knee. He is bookkeeper decided to go and get "hitched."

All told it has been a tough session. The legion of customers to our Job Department had to be given service. We had to "Boil" our paper. We did not like to do so, but what is one to do under these circumstances?

We are not back in full production yet but hope to be by next week, or at least the week after. We ask You,

## THE SPREAD OF PRICES

(The Financial Post)

Here are comparative wholesale and "fair" retail prices (based on 30% wartime WPTB markup on bacon, ham; 28% on pork) before and after recent increases, including 8% sales tax on cooked meats:

	Wholesale Old	Wholesale New	Retail Old	Retail New
Smoked hams	41	50	53	65
Cooked hams	61	71.8	79	93.3
Side bacon	44.2	56.1	57.4	72.9
Sliced bacon	56.7	69.1	73.7	89.8
Back bacon, piece	57.8	63.2	75.1	82.2
Pork loins	35.7	44.7	45.6	57
Pork shoulders	27.2	35.2	34.7	45.6
Sausage	34.5	42	42	51
Tenderloins	54	69	65	83

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**WELL DONE THOU GOOD AND FAITHFUL SERVANT**

At the last meeting of Town Council a resolution was passed extending thanks, expressions of good will and wishes for continued good health to Alfred Barrington Bourne upon his retirement from public office after many long years of fine and useful service to his municipality.

A. B. Bourne, or better known to everybody in the town and district as "Buzz", has given his service to the Village and the Town of Grimsby longer than any other living man with the exception of Councillor Wm. Mitchell of North Grimsby.

He first entered Council in January of 1912 with ex-Mayor Edric S. Johnson as his Reeve. He has sat under a lot of different Reeves and Mayors since that time.

Thirty-five years is a long span of time, particularly for a man in municipal life, but with the exception of the very odd year in which he dropped out he has practically served the Town that length of time. It is safe to say, without checking the records, that he has better than 30 years to his credit.

He has been through many a hot election fight and has also received many acclamations, but through them all he always gave his best for the Town and district and at no time could a black mark be placed against his record.

He has served his Village and his Town well and is well deserving of a rest from the arduous duties of a municipal official.

**HOW DO THE GIRLS DO IT**

Girls can stand intensely cold weather better than men and with less clothing than men (a fact we need only look out of our West street window to verify) because they have double the thickness of "thermal insulating tissues" that men have. This report has been rushed to our desk by carrier pigeon from the Yale Medical School and we think it is a highly important item.

There has been a lot of nonsense talked about the difference between the sexes and we are glad science is getting on the job. Most discussion have been about whether girls have more intuition than boys and so on—while the real difference, the thermal insulating tissues, and the like, have been ignored. Now science can go ahead.

We want to know why a slim little girl of 102 pounds can dance from 9 p.m. to 3 a.m. and want more, when her husky escort is in a state of extreme exhaustion and practically out cold on his feet.

We want to know why a girl can maintain an energy output of 600 eggs on a diet of (item) one cup of coffee, black, (item) a pack of cigarettes, (item) one bonbon, while her big brother grows white around the lips if fate and a poker game keep him from his accustomed three square meals.

We want to know why a young woman who can cook three meals a day, clean house, attend to Junior, do the marketing, and make her own clothes feels restless of an evening and wants to step out, for something to do, while her husband (who has sat in on three conferences and had a two-hour lunch) desires only to crouch over the radio.

We are sending these queries back to Yale by the same pigeon.

**CANDLE LIGHT**

(By Lewis Milligan)

In this Electric Age, when electricity is the universal means of illumination in all modern cities, we are apt to despise the candle and to forget the important part it has played in the history of mankind. The younger generation have no idea of what a dark world this was, even up to the latter part of the nineteenth century, when people groped their way about city streets feebly lit with glimmering gas lamps. But gas lighting must have seemed to those people like daylight compared with the nights when there was no outside illumination, other than the torch or the lantern, and the fitful glimmers of the moon.

Indoors, of course, they had oil lamps, around which they ate their evening meals and did their nightly reading and writing. But

during the oil lamp period the candle was indispensable for hunting in dark corners and lighting one to bed. I read most of Dickens and other of the classics by candle-light, and burned the midnight grease in my little room, struggling with the elements of literary composition. In those nights the candle seemed to be a living thing, a genial companion, and its little circle of light was an aid to concentration. One could gaze into its soft flame and see visions.

All this came back to me the other evening during a Hydro blackout when we had to resort to candles. In an instant we had returned to the candle age, and while others were peevishly wondering what was the matter or were groping in the basement vainly trying to restore the lost age of electric lighting, I sat contentedly at my desk gazing into the gentle flame of my old friend, and this is what I saw:

Like a lone star amid the black of night,  
My candle casts a ring of lambent light;  
And in its mystic circle dreams arise,  
Forgotten dreams and childhood memories:  
Faces and scenes of long, long years ago,  
Are conjured up beneath the candle glow.

Backward my dreaming goes three hundred years.

And in my mind a vision dim appears  
Of Shakespeare sitting in a narrow room,  
Writing his plays, alone amid the gloom:  
Faces and scenes that live in deathless fame,  
He conjures up beneath the candle flame.

Here Doctor Johnson sits in solitude,  
And there is Blake in rapt ecstatic mood;  
Yonder is Goldsmith, writing tales for bread,  
And there's De Quincey, sitting up in bed;  
Each working magic, 'mid the black of night,  
In the charmed circle of the candle light.

Yes, literature owes more immortal works of imagination to the candle than will ever be produced under the hard glare of the electric bulb—I must get me an old candlestick.

**COUNTRY TOWNS IN WINTER**

When city people go out into rural communities for summer visits and vacations, they remark that these places are delightful at that time of year, but they sometimes ask if these communities are not dull places during the winter.

They see outdoor life largely cut off through the cold months. It may look to them that winter conditions offer little substitute for these enjoyments, so that they look at winter rural life as a time when such communities largely go to sleep. They may think that snow and ice obstruct community life in many of these places.

There may be some remote communities where this is true, but in the great majority of small country towns life is very active through the winter. The organizations have their regular meetings, entertainments, and social affairs. The movies give constant entertainment, and are offered or are within reach in most places. People are drawn closer together by social activity in these communities, and the winter passes pleasantly. Winter sports and indoor games are a great factor in many places.

Defeat isn't bitter if you don't swallow it.

The happiest miser on earth—the man who saves up every friend he can make.



Average girl—One who thinks she is "above the average."

Have you met that new gink in town, Mr. Cogley. He has a lot of smart information for you. Look him up in every issue of this paper.

Headline in The Toronto Telegram: "Mr. King Not Quitting Until After Next Election."—Not much doubt but what he will quit then.

Headline in The Dunnville Chronicle: "Dunnville Water Unpalatable But not Unhealthy"—When did the people of Dunnville start drinking water?

I'm in the hosegow for sure. Not one hosegown but six of them. The minute that Peggy O'Neill announced the Lanny Ross was coming back to the Beautiful Ox Room of The Village Inn for a two night standon February 6th and 7th, all six of my beautiful, vivacious, glamorous widows got on my trail and demanded that I take them to hear the great Iph Thrush sing his lovely melodies. Not all six together (I might have got a cut rate), nor two together. Each one demanded to go individually. What a 2787543xew jam I'm in.

Is Grimsby going to have those much needed municipal officials—a Reeve and three Councillors—at 8.30 tonight, when Clerk Bourne closes the second nomination. I hope so, but it is all up to the citizens. If they do not want a full council: if they do not want their town run properly, then it is entirely up to them. I would like to see that nomination meeting packed to doors. In fact I would like to see a whole lot of good election fight in this town. It would clarify the air and do the citizens and the town a whole lot of good. Win, lose or draw, I wouldn't mind going into fight because I think it is the best thing that could happen to Grimsby.

An open letter to Hugh Whyte, down in the snake infested, alligator Everglades of Florida: "Not going to advise you to come home, but at the same time your gallant little partner is flying high—than he ever flew in the Air Force. Between hobby jitters, the new building and writing between 250 and 30 new policies a day he is never on terra firma. Why he flew so high that the stratosphere gave him the flu and he had to stay in bed for three days and The Independent's "High" McGregor had to take over the reins of the hockey club. If the Peach Kings don't win this championship, Hugh, I can tell you where Herbie will be when you come home. But don't worry too much, kid, the little chicken raiser will get through somehow, but nobody hereabouts just knows how—Yours to a couple of gallons of real orange juice."

A real good time can't be bought or placed . . . it just happens.

**INVENTIONS CAN DESTROY INVESTMENTS**

(By W. H. Colclough, Vancouver)

umbria. "Some day I'll be a rich man," he crooned.

It looked like it. Palatial streamers swept up and down the lake every day; settlers moved in, and the country boomed. Then one day a small announcement in the shape of a news item appeared in the papers. "Last spike driven in the Kettle Valley Railroad, connecting the Kootenay with Vancouver by way of Southern route."

The last spike in the railroad was the first spike in the coffin of the Winnipegger's investment. It wasn't necessary to direct traffic up the Arrow Lakes to Revelstoke. The big boats have since rusted at their crumbling moorings, and the Winnipegger's bleak land was recently sold for taxes.

If you have stock in a concern which makes standard washing machines, better find out if your company is resourceful enough to change over. If it isn't, get out fast, for the machine which gladdened the housewife of a million homes for the past 20 years is at best number. In Grandmother's day—the day of the wash-tub and scrubbing board—the idea of a machine which would wash clothes without being touched by human hands, was a fantastic dream. That day is here. Toss in the dirty linen, press button, and come back in half an hour. The clothes are washes clean and are now ready to hang out.

But what about the owner of the factory who, by virtue of holding the proper patents, is unable to manufacture such machines? How safe is our investment?

Of course, our investments, if they can be called investments, do not always work down. They sometimes work up, and great fortunes have been made from a very small outlay of money. Detroit man put \$1,000 in automobile stock 40 years ago. He's dead, but his family are the money. Here in Vancouver the day the Second Great War broke out a prospector bid for \$2,000 his interest in a "strike" which now pays a dividend of \$2,000 every month, or \$24,000 a year.

These are rare "success" stories which encourage the average man to take a chance. But there comes a time in every man's life when taking a chance is the essence of foolishness.

How safe is your investment?

The Woodstock Sentinel-Review suggests that Christmas be fixed to fall on a Monday every year. Christmas has been changed enough from the Christian day of worship and rejoicing it was supposed to be, without now changing the date too in order to suit our convenience.

The Editor of a weekly newspaper retired with a fortune. When asked the secret of his success, he replied: "I attribute my ability to retire with \$100,000 savings, after 30 years in newspaper work, to diligent application to work pursuing a policy of strict honesty, always practising rigorous rules of economy, and to the death of my uncle who left me \$110,000."

One reason I am sorry that John Hewitt is out of Town Council is because he had things under way to get mail delivery in Grimsby. Now I read by the daily and weekly press that mail delivery will commence in Port Colborne, Dundas and Brampton late this winter or early in the spring. Post Office Department is already calling for applications for mail carriers in those municipalities. Who in the Town Council is going to pick up the torch and get mail delivery for Grimsby. If those other Backwoods Towns can get this service then surely Grimsby in the very Heart of Civilization can get it. Let one of our new councillors get after this project and get after it fast and persistently.

**Hy-Way Hank**

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## INCREASED RENTALS

Mr. Cavers told Magistrate Hallatt that Oelkuch had rented the quarters to Hinatsu on a suggestion by Mr. Merritt, proprietor of the Merritt Bros. Basket Factory in Grimsby, where both were employed, when Mr. Merritt told him he could get him \$33 a month rent. He claimed he did this in order not to cross Mr. Merritt.

Oelkuch had made previous attempts to oust Mrs. Blaine, whose husband was serving overseas at the time, but was unsuccessful. Mrs. Blaine finally left and Hinatsu, a Japanese, moved in. Hinatsu occupied the quarters from Feb. 1945 to Nov. 1947. No restitution has been made to Hinatsu as yet. He is now living in St. Catharines.

In fixing the fine Magistrate Hallatt said that the "regulations have been in force for so many years that everyone should know of them." If the fine is not paid Oelkuch was given the alternative of 30 days in jail.

## WALTER WEST CALLED

taking to this particular sport.

He leaves to mourn his sudden passing, besides his widow, one son George, three brothers, Sidney of Beamsville, Robert of Smithville and William of Niagara Falls. Also three sisters, Mrs. John McCloskey, Mrs. Edward Hamilton and Mrs. Mary Howey of Beamsville.

Funeral services were conducted from his late home on Adelaide St.,

while members of the Masonic Union Lodge No. 7, A.F. & A.M., of which the deceased was a member gathered to perform the Masonic rites, while Main Street merchants closed their doors in respect to a departed businessman and citizen.

Rev. H. J. Scott of the Presbyterian Church officiated at the residence where the floral tokens were extremely bountiful, as sportsmen, businessmen and friends paid their last respects.

Interment was made in Queen's Lawn Cemetery as a cold January wind rustled in the trees.

Casket bearers were Len Lindner, William Librook, Vernon Tuck, Richard Theal, Cecil Gowland and Herbert Betzner.

## GROWERS ARE WARNED

better to depend on the stable markets. The British market is much more stable."

Reid Smith gave a detailed report on the new acreage of the different grapes put in the last few years. A. de Chaunac, of Brights Limited, also spoke on his company's work in introducing new types of grapes to this country, that would combine the hardness of the American grapes with the flavor of the European type.

E. F. Palmer also spoke on the work of the Vineland Station in introducing new types of vines. He said, "we think the growers should go slow in planting of new varieties in the next few

years.

"At the station here we have 35 new acres for experiments on grapes and will have room for 100 to 200 vines of each variety, including those for table, juice, wine and brandy. We will have a new laboratory for investigation of storage problems, including refrigeration, gas storage, wax coatings, dehydration, canning and wines."

"We have found that the new imported single purpose grapes make better wine than the Concord, but require a better drained vineyard. It appears that the Concord and other all purpose grapes, are not sufficient. The Concord is versatile, but does not live up as a wine maker."

## WATERWORKS PROJECT

fed from springs and wells at the top of the mountain but for some years past the supply has been gradually diminishing and it is expected that under this project that Beamsville could also be supplied, as well as the residents along No. 8 Highway east from the Clinton township line where the present township east end system stops.

This project, the promoters believe, has considerable merit. For some year North Grimsby Council have been trying to get the Grimsby Water Commission to reduce the price of the water sold to their systems. Grimsby Commission could not afford to reduce the rate, but on the other hand the Township systems have been operating at a loss or barely breaking even on each year's operation.

Water for some years, during certain months has been a scarce commodity on the farms on top of the mountain, particularly along the Ridge Road. This system would relieve that situation.

Smithville has practically been ordered by the Ontario Department of Health to construct a modern water system. There is not much doubt but what the residents of the Southern metropolis are ready and willing to do so but their big headache is the securing of a suitable and adequate water supply. At present it looks as if they would have to bring their water either from Lake Ontario or cross country from Lake Erie. Under this new scheme their worries in that direction would be entirely relieved.

The project looks like a big one, and no doubt it is, but the promoters believe that once it was in operation it would be a most successful one both from a water supply point but from a financial standpoint.

## RESOLUTIONS PASSED

Fifth, the association urged the government to make some definite announcement as to the possible duration of the present austerity program.

Sixth, the association suggested that agriculture industry and labor hold the line on prices now, in an effort to stop the spiralling of prices.

Seventh, the association expressed its appreciation to the minister for his interest and support.

Eighth, the association urged the Horticultural Council to press for Dominion Marketing Legislation be made available to producers across Canada at the earliest possible date.

Ninth, the association expressed their appreciation to the Dominion and Provincial Departments of Agriculture and further requested that platform inspectors be allowed to inspect beyond their platforms.

Tenth, the association petitioned the minister to provide the utmost facilities possible for the recruiting and housing of student labor in the Farm Service Camps.

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## DEAN OF EDITORS



when fruit is more plentiful?" "Tariff agreements with the United States will not open up the markets in that country. Free trade is all right, if the country wants to trade but the United States grows everything that we do."

The importers like to handle the trade across the border because there is more money to be made, and the fruit comes well packaged and well graded. There is less waste and less deterioration. The tendency in the future will be for lower taxes and even more competition. It must be met by more consideration for grading and packing.

Mr. Robinson concluded his discussion on imports by stressing once again that the growers could have avoided the present shortage, but were driven out of the business by the importers. As a preliminary to his import discussion, Mr. Robinson also gave his support to the amalgamation of the fruit and vegetable growers' association. "No attempt will be made to interfere with the minor organizations, such as this one, but the move is for a stronger central organization," he said.

Several resolutions were introduced at the beginning of the meeting, but so many amendments were offered that all were held over until today when they will be presented again.

The second speaker, Bain Stewart, of Toronto, described the reception of several experimental shipments of Niagara peaches to Northern Ontario this past season. He said that in general the Ontario product had a poor reputation in the north country, and stressed the importance of proper grading and packing if the new market was to be gained. Poor rods and long hauls made it especially important to have good picks.

He offered a list of important information to growers who are contemplating sending fruit north. Early peaches should not be sent north in large quantities, there is a 50 per cent loss. Melons should be sent in more uniform sizes and in stronger boxes. The Big O' brand was all right until the worms appeared. The baskets used at the present time should bear a more intensive investigation.

Mr. Stewart thought that a more extensive advertising and education to Ontario grown products would do away with the lack of confidence to a large extent.

If the entire shore of Lake Ontario is to be protected in this manner, the cost will run into millions of dollars and the job would necessarily extend over several years.

A notable example of the damage the lake is making may be seen at Grimsby Beach where the high banks have been cut back 100 feet or more in recent years. Cottages which once had a hundred feet of lawn in front of them are now perilously perched atop 40-foot banks and some owners, at their own expense are now having rocks dumped over the bank to save them.

## FRUIT GROWERS MUST

peach season, he said Thank God the domestic season is over."

The reason for his discussion of the high vegetable prices was, Mr. Robinson said, that he resented the recent reports in the press that showed Ontario growers as "robber barons."

According to Mr. Robinson the fault does not lie with the growers, but with the importers.

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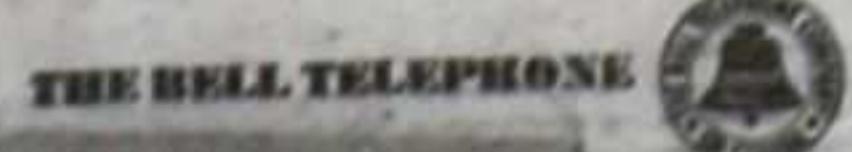
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COMPANY OF CANADA

## → Social Events — Personals — Organizations — Club Activities —

We are pleased to see Bert Chivers out and around again after his recent illness.

Miss Doris McBride has been confined to her home the past 10 days with illness.

P. V. and Mrs. Smith returned home last week from a pleasant month's holiday trip to various points in California.

Miss Peggy O'Neill, manager of The Village Inn, is in Toronto this week attending the convention of the Canadian Hotelmen's Association.

## Births

Mr. and Mrs. James Gillespie, Park Road, Grimsby Beach, wish to announce the birth of their first grandson, Ross James, to Mr. and Mrs. James W. Gillespie (formerly Mary K. Sarjeant) at the Private Patients' Pavilion, Western Hospital, Toronto, on Monday, January 19th, 1948.

## GOSPEL HALL

Adelaide St., Grimsby

**LORD'S DAY**  
Breaking of Bread - 11 a.m.  
Gospel Meeting - - - 7 p.m.  
  
Wednesday  
Prayer Meeting and Bible  
Reading, 8 p.m.  
  
— All Welcome —

St. John's Church  
Presbyterian

SUNDAY, JANUARY 25th

A student of Knox College, Toronto, will conduct morning service only.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 1st  
REV. A. G. SCOTT  
Monkton, Ontario.

Mr. Scott is the first of three ministers which preach for a call to this church. A good attendance of members is requested.

Services Morning and Evening.

## The Baptist Church

Rev. G. A. McLean, B.A.  
Minister

SUNDAY, JANUARY 25th  
Morning worship—11 a.m.  
Morning worship, 11.00 a.m.  
Subject: "What Holy Scriptures Ask From the Local Church for its Bishop?"  
Evening Worship and Song Service. Subject: "A Righteous Man Unjustified and a Sinful Man Justified."  
Monday, Jan. 26th, 8.00 p.m.—  
B.Y.P.U. Miss Chandler, guest speaker. Subject: "The Rockies".  
Wednesday, Jan. 28th, 6.30 p.m.—Annual Congregational Supper and Business Meeting of the Church.

## St. Andrew's Church

(Diocese of Niagara)  
Rector: Rev'd E. A. Brooks,  
M.A., Tel. 549.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 25th  
Septuagint

8.30 a.m.—Holy Communion.  
11 a.m.—Mattins and Sermon.  
2.30 p.m.—Sunday School.  
3 p.m.—Bible Classes.  
7 p.m.—Evening Prayer.

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## I.O.D.E.

The regular monthly business meeting of Lincoln Loyalist Chapter, I. O. D. E. will be held in the Chapter Room Village Inn, on Monday afternoon, January 26th, at 2.5 p.m. This will be the annual nominations meeting. Will the members please remember to bring a donation for the Chapter's monthly "Box for Britain."

The provincial chapter of the Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire has announced contests open to short story writers and artists living in Ontario, with a prize of \$100 offered in each of the fields.

The story must run at least 1,000 words and not more than 5,000, and the theme must be Canadian. Entry deadline is May 15.

For the best original oil painting of a still life, a prize of \$100 is also offered. Pictures measuring not larger than 18 by 16 inches, entered by Canadians 25 years and under, domiciled in Ontario, are eligible. They must be submitted not later than April 1.

## BEAVER CLUB

The regular meeting of the Beaver Club was held in St. John's Church rooms on Monday night at 8 o'clock.

Plans were made for the annual Penny Sale to be held on February 16th.

Several games of shuffleboard were played followed by a delicious lunch served by the hostesses of the evening. Mrs. A. Stevenson and Mrs. Wm. Aldrich.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our many friends and neighbours for their kindly messages of sympathy and beautiful floral offerings sent at the time of the sudden passing of a beloved husband and father. We also deeply appreciate the kindness of those who loaned cars.

The West family.

## Trinity United Church

Rev. A. L. Griffith, B.A.  
Minister

SUNDAY, JANUARY 25th

11.00 a.m.—Morning Worship and Junior Congregation.  
Sermon: "A Lesson in Patriotism."

2.30 p.m.—Sunday School in Trinity Hall.  
3.45 p.m.—Church Membership Class.

7.00 p.m.—Evening Worship.  
Sermon: "What Makes a Person a Success?"

Wednesday, January 28th  
6.30 p.m.—Congregation Pot-Luck Supper and Annual Meeting.

## Girl Guides

CANADIAN GIRL GUIDES  
ASSOCIATION DIVISION OF  
WEST LINCOLN

It is two years since we had a training course in the Division, so we are grateful to the Provincial Training Committee for making one available to us next week.

Miss Elizabeth Grant, Ontario Blue Cord Diploma Guide, is coming to Grimsby on Thursday, 29th January for two days.

Thursday, 29th, 7.30 p.m.—Guiders Session at Trinity Church, Beamsville.

Friday, 30th, 2.30 p.m.—Brown and Tawny Owls Session at Miss Walsh's, 13 Murray Street, proceeding from 4 o'clock to a Demonstration Brownie Meeting.

Friday, 30th, 3.30 p.m.—Patrol Leaders Session at the Beach School.

GUIDES, BROWN OWLS,  
TAWNY OWLS, PATROL  
LEADERS! Is it a date?

## Eastern Star

Grimsby Chapter No. 111, O.E.S., met in the Chapter Room Tuesday evening, January 20th, with the Worthy Matron, Mrs. Chester Elmer, and the Worthy Patron, Mr. Lawrence Hyatt, presiding.

A letter was received from West Lincoln Memorial Hospital thanking the Chapter for establishing a foundation fund. Mrs. Marjorie Hitchman reported that the first of the monthly food parcels had been sent overseas. Mrs. Arthur Clark reported for the entertainment committee, outlining several projects to be undertaken during the coming year. Mrs. H. V. Betzner gave the sick and visiting report. Mrs. H. G. Mogg, Benevolent Convenor, reported delivering Christmas Cheer baskets to needy families. It was decided to send a donation to the Sick Children's Hospital, Toronto.

After the meeting, a social hour was enjoyed, with Mrs. V. R. Farrell and her committee serving refreshments.

## Fluptials

THOMSON-HILL  
(Brantford Expositor)

The parsonage of Immanuel Baptist Church was the scene

January 3 of the nuptial cere-

mony of Miss Frances A. Hill

and Mr. Charles B. Thompson,

both of Hamilton. Miss Hill is

the daughter of Mrs. Della Hill,

Huron St., and Mr. Thompson is

the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Oles,

246 West St. Rev. L. H. Hylton

officiated.

The bride was gowned in a

powder blue French crepe street-

dress with hip drapes

circling to a bow in the back.

cap sleeves and cut-away neck-

line. Her matching hat had

powder blue tulle trim, and she

carried a nosegay of red rose-

buds, white carnations and baby's

wreath. Her attendant, Miss

Wilma Kirby, wore pink French

crepe, with drapes effect, long

sleeves, and gold button decora-

tion, with a pink headress similar

to that of the bride, and she car-

ried pink carnations, baby's mums

and baby's breath. Mr. Cecil

Thompson was his brother's

groomsmen.

The home of the bride's moth-

er was the scene of the recep-

ting guests. Mrs. Hill wore grey

crepe, where the mothers of the

couple assisted in welcoming

crepe, grey and cerise accessories

and corsage of Tallyman

roses, and Mrs. Oles wore grey

crepe, grey and black accessories

and similar corsage. A buf-

fer luncheon was served, from a

table graced with a white lace

cloth, tall white candles and a

three-tier wedding cake. Guests

were present from Hamilton,

Grimsby, Peterborough and

Brantford.

For the wedding trip to Lon-

don and Detroit, the bride don-

ned a smart grey and plaid dress,

black coat and accessories. Mr.

and Mrs. Thompson will reside at

11 Huron St.

## TRINITY E. A.

The Evening Auxiliary of Trinity United Church met in Trinity Hall on Thursday Evening, January 15, with the president, Mrs. Powell, in charge.

Annual reports were given, and

a slate of work for the coming

year was outlined by Mrs. Hasty.

Rev. L. A. Griffith installed the

following officers—

President, Mrs. Powell; 1st

vice-president, Verna Lewis; 2nd

vice-president, Audrey Klock;

Recording Secretary Ruth Walker;

Treasurer, Elizabeth Tennant;

Corresponding Secretary, Helen

Botterill; Christian Stewardship

Secretary, Doris Wilkins, Pianist.

Iona McIntosh; Baby and Sec-

retary, Dorothy Little; Stranger

Committee, Dorothy Little and

Margaret Pickett; Supply Con-

venor, Margaret Hasty.

In Memoriam

ROBERTSON—In loving memory of a dear husband and father, Robert Robertson, who passed away January 20th, 1945.

Time rolls on but memories stay.

As dear and sweet as yesterday.

—Wife and family.

In memory of our dear father,

Robert Robertson, who died Jan-

uary 20th, 1945.

To have, to love, and thence to part.

Is the greatest sorrow of our

hearts;

The years go by, but memories stay.

As near, and dear, as yesterday.

—Son Bill, Fannie and

grandchildren.

HOLMES—In loving memory of

a dear son and brother, Harry

William who passed away Jan-

uary 9th, 1930.

He had a nature you could not

help loving.

And heart that was purer than

Thursday, January 22nd, 1948.

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**SPIC & SPAN** 1/2 lb. 23c  
**BLUEBERRIES** 1/2 lb. 31c  
**CORN STARCH** 2 lbs. 29c  
**IRISH STEW** 1/2 lb. 21c  
**KETA SALMON** 1/2 lb. 33c

**LINT LAUNDRY**  
**STARCH** package 11c  
REFINED GOLDEN CORN  
**SYRUP** 1/2 lb. 65c  
ADY JEMIMA FLOUR 1 lb.  
**PANCAKES** 1/2 lb. 47c  
ROUNDS CHOCOLATE & VANILLA  
**PUDDINGS** 2 lbs. 9c  
SWEET STRAINED  
**BABY MEATS** 2 lbs. 29c  
KETCHUP ENGLISH  
**MUSTARD** 1/2 lb. 31c  
REFINED PREPARED  
**MUSTARD** 1/2 lb. 19c

**REED R. G.**  
**APPLE JUICE** 1/2 lb. 27c

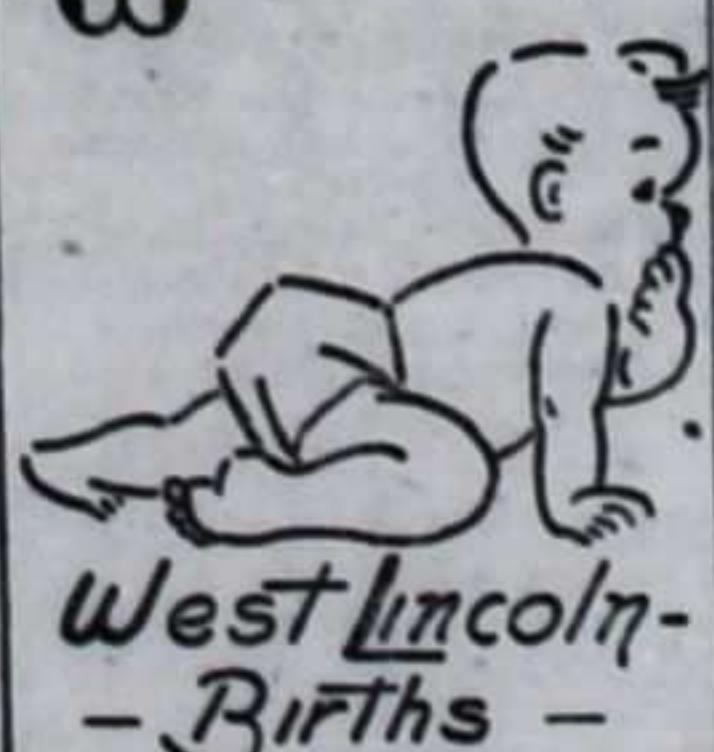
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**OATS** 1 lb. 28c  
LAWN VALLEY  
**PEAS** 2 lbs. 25c  
SEALFAIR of  
AYLMER LIMA  
**BEANS** 1 lb. 19c  
REFINED BIRD  
**SEED** 1/2 lb. 19c  
EASY ON HANDS —  
**VEL** 1/2 lb. 29c  
TO POLISH SILVER  
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January 10th — To Mr. and Mrs. Harold Costello, North Grimsby Township, R.R. 2, a daughter.

January 11th — To Mr. and Mrs. Teras Chornobey, R.R. 1, Beamsville, a daughter.

January 15th — To Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Silverthorne, Smithville, a daughter.

January 17th — To Mr. and Mrs. William Selby, 87 Pelham St., St. Catharines, a son.

January 18th — To Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jarvis, Grimsby a daughter.

January 20th — To Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nichols, Vineland Station, a son.

LADIES' AUXILIARY  
ST JOHN'S, WINONA

The annual meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of St. John's Church, Winona, was held at the rectory. The meeting opened with a hymn and Scripture Reading by Mrs. C. Bradshaw. Reports of all officers were given showing gratifying results. It was decided in the future to hold the business meetings of each month in the afternoon and the second meeting of the month in the evening.

Mrs. Armand Smith presided at the annual election of officers as follows: Honorary president Mrs. G. F. Scovil; president Mrs. G. Glidden; honorary vice-presidents, Mrs. John White, Mrs. E. J. Biggar, Mrs. Elizabeth Pattison and Mrs. C. J. Bradshaw; vice-presidents, Mrs. J. E. Puddicombe, Mrs. K. Millikin; recording secretary, Miss Irene Carpenter; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Keith Millikin; treasurer, Miss Stanley White; educational secretary Mrs. G. F. Scovil; Dorcas convenor, Mrs. G. Harkins; assistants, Mrs. J. Costin, Mrs. C. C. Chapman; Little Helpers, Mrs. G. F. Scovil; thank offering, Mrs. Macklin delegates to the Diocesan Board meetings, Mrs. C. J. Bradshaw and Miss Irene Carpenter; substitutes, Mrs. M. Glassco and Mrs. A. J. Biggar. Ten dollars was voted to the Canon Turner fund for Mrs. Turner and family. The meeting was closed with the benediction and refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. Scovil.

Sports have the headlines this week. The girls have been training as they have never been before. They are trying to form two strong teams of which the school will be proud. The first game will be played on Friday when the Junior girls tackle the Dundas Juniors. Good luck gang.

The Senior girls are a trifle woe-begone after receiving the news that they will only be able to play four scheduled games. We hope however that exhibition games can be arranged with other schools. The schedule of boys and girls games is posted on the bulletin board in the lower hall.

The painting is progressing well by the looks of it. One would never recognize the auditorium and upper floor girls cloak-room. The girls who have this cloakroom can hardly wait till it is ready.

The boys have started their winter basketball season. On Tuesday after four we witnessed a contest between our junior and senior teams and Beamsville's junior and senior teams. Our junior boys bowed low before the fast flying Beamsville boys by a score of 21-6. Come on boys and redeem yourselves next time. Students get out and back your teams!

There was just a smattering of rooters at this game. Let's let the boys know we're right behind them, urging them on to victory.

Senior Game — The results were better in the senior group. In a bitterly contested game Beamsville bowed to defeat with a score of 23-22. Top scorers were Catton, Zimmerman, Don Mogg and Lindensmith, Arkell.

The basket ball game between our girls and the Normal School the score was never announced. We finally got it out of them. "Hold your breath" Normal School 57, G. H. S. 7.

Few people may know it but Grimsby High has within its walls a flourishing History Club.

It is made up of members taken from forms 12 and 13.

The membership is restricted to 20 as the upper forms had first choice.

The Club has been meeting every Tuesday after 4. At these meetings the students discuss the events of the week. We are all finding how interesting current events can be.

Next Tuesday evening the club is planning a supper party with an after dinner meeting. This is to be the first of a group of socials which are now being planned. Our thanks go to Mrs. Johnson for her kind help in getting us organized.

Now we would like to bring up two subjects which have been waving their ugly heads for quite a time.

One — our dramatic club, two — our school magazine.

Both these movements should have been organized some time ago but it is not too late now.

Let's get busy, students. We want a magazine and its up to us to get it going.

Junior Game

Scoring was opened by Dundas

and at the end of the 1st quarter

Grimsby was trailing by 1 point.

The score at the end of the second quarter was 14-10 showing the shooting was improving.

The third quarter showed fast and keen playing by the flying Grimsby boys which continued through the rest of the game and produced a 28-18 win for G. H. S.

Scorers were: Scrivener, Sterling, Milliard, Catton and Mills.

Senior Game

Grimsby opened the scoring

when Zimmy sunk a foul.

The score at the end of the first quarter was 4-2 for Dundas, the play

had been fast but score lowered that 1st.

The second quarter was closely contested ending in a 8-7

count for G. H. S. Many fouls

were given in the following quarters.

The final score was 21-16 for G. H. S.

Scorers were: Zimmerman, Ruse, Mogg, Catton, Pasche and Lindensmith.

On Monday the Cathedral High

girls came for an exhibition game.

The Juniors played the first half

(sprawling over the floor) which ended with a 8-4.

A mixture of senior and juniors played the second half with a score 6-6.

Come back again, girls, we'll be ready.

• Joke of the Week •

As a visitor to a mental hospital walked about the grounds, he noticed one of the inmates wheel-

(by PEG. 'N LYNN)  
(by PEG. 'N LYNN)

(crowded out last week)

Ho Hum! How about stirring something up we can write about, dear readers. We try to nose out news but when there's no news well anyway we will attempt to outline the doings and events of G. H. S for this week.

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The basket ball game between our girls and the Normal School the score was never announced. We finally got it out of them. "Hold your breath" Normal School 57, G. H. S. 7.

Few people may know it but Grimsby High has within its walls a flourishing History Club.

It is made up of members taken from forms 12 and 13.

The membership is restricted to 20 as the upper forms had first choice.

The Club has been meeting every Tuesday after 4. At these meetings the students discuss the events of the week. We are all finding how interesting current events can be.

Next Tuesday evening the club is planning a supper party with an after dinner meeting. This is to be the first of a group of socials which are now being planned. Our thanks go to Mrs. Johnson for her kind help in getting us organized.

Now we would like to bring up two subjects which have been waving their ugly heads for quite a time.

One — our dramatic club, two — our school magazine.

Both these movements should have been organized some time ago but it is not too late now.

Let's get busy, students. We want a magazine and its up to us to get it going.

Junior Game

Scoring was opened by Dundas

and at the end of the 1st quarter

Grimsby was trailing by 1 point.

The score at the end of the second quarter was 14-10 showing the shooting was improving.

The third quarter showed fast and keen playing by the flying Grimsby boys which continued through the rest of the game and produced a 28-18 win for G. H. S.

Scorers were: Scrivener, Sterling, Milliard, Catton and Mills.

Senior Game

Grimsby opened the scoring

when Zimmy sunk a foul.

The score at the end of the first quarter was 4-2 for Dundas, the play

had been fast but score lowered that 1st.

The second quarter was closely contested ending in a 8-7

count for G. H. S. Many fouls

were given in the following quarters.

The final score was 21-16 for G. H. S.

Scorers were: Zimmerman, Ruse, Mogg, Catton, Pasche and Lindensmith.

On Monday the Cathedral High

girls came for an exhibition game.

The Juniors played the first half

(sprawling over the floor) which ended with a 8-4.

A mixture of senior and juniors played the second half with a score 6-6.

Come back again, girls, we'll be ready.

• Joke of the Week •

As a visitor to a mental hospital

walked about the grounds, he

noticed one of the inmates wheel-

Christmas.

It was decided to have the Penny Contest again this year, with the same leaders — Mrs. Harold Pickett and Mrs. J. J. Graham in charge of the teams.

Mrs. T. L. Dymond gave a very satisfactory report on the sale of cook-books.

Tea and a social half-hour followed the business discussions.

On Tuesday, January 6th, last year's losing Penny Team, under Mrs. C. H. Pickett, entertained Mrs. Graham's winners at a supper in Trinity Hall, with about fifty in attendance.

After the supper, progressive crokinole was played, the winner being Mrs. Harold Metcalfe.

Other contest winners were Mrs. Nelson Martin and Mrs. Wilson Ransom.

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FRIDAY, JANUARY 23rd  
NIAGARA FALLS MANGS vs. PEACH KINGS

Reserved Seats 75c — General Admission 50c — Children 25c  
Attraction No. 7

SATURDAY, JANUARY 24th  
SKATING 8 - 10 p.m.  
Adults 35c — Children 25c

MONDAY, JANUARY 26th  
FRUIT BELT HOCKEY LEAGUE  
3 Games — 7-10 p.m. — Admission 25c

TUESDAY, JANUARY 27th  
SKATING 8 - 10 p.m.  
Adults 35c — Children 25c

O.H.A. HOCKEY  
WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 28th  
PEACH KINGS vs. PORT DALHOUSIE

Reserved Seats 75c — General Admission 50c — Children 25c  
Attraction No. 8

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## SPORTOLOGY

(By Bones Livingston, Sportologist)

STRICTLY FOR DIGEST—Gordie Oakes, and a couple of boys who answer to the name of Murphy and Dickenson are doing a big heap. Other familiar names include a big defenseman called Stott, a share in keeping the Caledonia Intermediate B entry at the top of the kid named Latimer and another boy whose father's name is Sutton. Stott and Latimer are with the Milton outfit, while Sutton is with Oakville. All these boys were with the Peach Kings either last year or when practice started this past December—Red Mason has signed a Peach King card.

CLEAN THIS SITUATION UP—When will certain local officials who attempt to do a good job refereeing Fruit Belt Hockey forget their position and put certain players in their proper and only place. Namely outside the arena. There is no reason in the world why a referee, particularly a sportsman and a square shooter like Father B. A. O'Donnell, should be subjected to the abuse and profanity that is dished out by such types as Jim Henderson who plays with the Winona outfit. Enough is enough, and unless Henderson calms down and plays the game, we can see no logical reason why he should be kept on the Winona team or any other team be it hockey, baseball or softball. The sporting world has no place for this type.

A GOOD SPORTSMAN PASSES—it was with sudden shockness that the people of this district and particularly the people who love sporting activities learned on Friday morning last that Walter J. West, the jovial, round barin had passed away during the early morning hour. Walt West, or as he loved to advertise himself, "West, The Barber," was well known throughout the whole Niagara Peninsula as a lover of the hunting gun and of the hunting dog. Some of the best hounds and Beagles that ever covered a track in Ontario were trained by him. He was a follower of hockey and baseball, but his great love lay with the harness racing and trap-shooting. He could talk sulky racing all day because he studied them and knew their trainers and drivers. At trap-shooting he was very adept and was the moving spirit behind the present successful Grimsby Gun Club. Citizenship in general and Sportdom in particular can ill afford to loose men like Walt West, but when the Good Lord decrees thenthere is nothing that you or I can do.

CAN KINGS TAKE MANGS—The Peaches are up against a top team this Friday night, when the Niagara Falls Mangs will be here in town for their second appearance of the season. The two met in December in an exhibition tilt, and ended in a six all tie. Just how much the Kings have improved and ditto to the Mangs is something that only time will tell.

The Mangs are a Class B Senior team, and have a powerhouse on the defense, so what effect this rearguard will have on the featherweights of the Peach Kings should produce plenty of action.

We were talking to one of the Crowsdale players who isn't exactly a midget, and he stated in no uncertain terms just what a tough rugged defense the Mangs sported, and he should know—his arm will be out of the sling in another week.

The group is nearing completion and the crowds at the arena continue to swell with each game, so it is expected that this Friday night will see attendance records a la 1948 smashed.

The Kings are heading the league with only one loss in six starts, and will fight for every point, because when the group play-offs get underway, the team with the most points get the breaks with regard to home games.

THE ARMCHAIR CLUB — COL. GROSSMITH, official time-keeper of the PEACH KINGS, and one of the most ardent hockey fans, who really knows his hockey, tells this column that in all his year in hockey, even including the habitant country of Quebec, he never hit a colder rink than the Thorold Ice Box. The chival Colonel claims that he froze to death three times during the Kats-Kings game and had it not been for his experience with the army in Eskimo-land he would have certainly died. Operator 10 informs me that OLD POP McVICAR loves the gas stoves in the Thorold Arena. Also that HIGH-McGREGOR was taking off his number 14 between periods to warm his slab. Must be a nice place. One satisfaction the Kings will not have to go back again this winter . . . I was very pleased to sit nibbling on a sandwich in the Fruit Belt restaurant one day last week to have a stranger slide up to me and tell me what he thought of certain boys on the PEACH KINGS team, that his own kid played with when they were juveniles. I am not going to tell you his name at the present moment, but he certainly has a lot of respect, not only as hockey players, but as men in private life, of the "GAMCOCK", "YOUNG PUD" and "HANDSOME". It is certainly nice to bar that stuff after a long span of years. PEACH KINGS training never did any boy any harm. RENK RATS around the GRIMSBY ARENA never learned any harm. To his credit OLD TOM WARNER has done more good for the kids of this town than any other individual or organization has ever done. And I do not need a million dollars worth of evidence to prove that . . . If any King's player wore as many clothes going on the ice, as GROUP-CAPTAIN DOWIE, their president, wears going into the ARENA to see them play they wouldn't be able to wade . . . Those kids in the Lions Midget league are certainly producing some tight hockey. Last Saturday morning there were three shutout games and one tie game. The tadpoles go all out for 30 minutes and there is never a dull moment . . . That next KING'S-PORT DALHOUSIE game should pull a near capacity crowd. These two teams are mighty evenly matched.

LIMEY, THE JUICER QUOTHS — we never can tell in this bowling game who is going to break out in a ash next. Last week in the PEACH QUEEN'S league the little gal that set the alleys ablaze was JEAN McGREGOR trundling for the ADMIRAL DEWEY team blew the first frame of her second game and then went on to post up a 334 score. Here is another remarkable thing about this lassie. She only had a score of 84 in her first game, then rolled 34 and came back in the third spasm with 229 for a 647 triple. Nicework. Must have learned her bowling from DAN CROWN . . . JOHN HALE team apparently have a right smart bowler in a little lass named MOTT. She rolled 275-220-144 for a 639 triple . . . Our LITTLE MARY NORTON is again showing signs of life. She had a 635 triple last week . . . It is just surprising how many games well over 90 that the QUEENS are setting up. Trouble is they only do it in about one game out of the three and their other two games are away own . . .

### FRUIT BELT LEAGUE

A sizeable crowd gathered in the chill of the local igloo on Monday night as the Fruit Belters belted away at each other, and although there were some moments when hockey was the order of the day, there was a lot of time wasted on rough stuff, with plenty of minor skirmishes.

The opener saw Beamsville wade through the Winona entry, as the men of Reid and Shepherd picked up seven goals, while Winona came through with three in the later stages of the game. The game was featured by several outbreaks, as tempers flared. Worst offender was Jim Henderson, who could be a smart hockey player if he would use his head for other purposes than to ram the goal posts in sensational fashion. We hear that this same Henderson has been made Captain, if this is true, then Winona might as well fold up right now.

Rev. B. A. O'Donnell and Duffy Duffield were the officials.

Christie, Geddes, Moore, Tatarnic, McKeown, Hibbert, and McManus scored for Beamsville, Henderson and Whitfield for Winona.

Need for strict observance of breaks in class routine in school is the subject of a pronouncement from the Department of National Health and Welfare, Ottawa. The health officers point out that recesses should be observed carefully. Class rooms should be given a chance to air, and both teacher and pupil given the benefit of a short spell of freedom from instruction and study.

## SCORES

### INTERMEDIATE A

Peach Kings 8 Falls Kents 4  
Peach Kings 2 Pt. Dalhousie 1  
(Overtime)

Pt. Dalhousie 6 Falls Mangs 5

Pt. Colborne 9 Falls Kents 3

Crowland 12 Dunnville 3

Pt. Colborne 10 Mangs 5

### Group Standing

G.P. W L T Pts.

P. Kings 6 4 1 1 9

Crowland 6 3 2 1 7

Pt. Colborne 6 3 2 1 7

Pt. Dalhousie 4 3 1 0 6

Dunnville 4 1 2 2 4

Mangs 3 1 2 0 5

Kents 4 0 4 0 0

### FRUIT BELT LEAGUE

Beamsville 7 Winona 3

Stoney Creek 6 Binbrook 0

Grimsby 4 Fulton 0

### Standing

G.P. W L T Pts.

Beamsville 5 4 0 1 9

Grimsby 5 4 1 0 8

Winona 5 3 2 9 6

Stoney Creek 5 2 3 0 4

Fulton 5 1 4 0 2

Binbrook 5 0 5 0 0

### JUVENILE B. O.M.H.A.

Grimsby S. 5 Beamsville 1

Pt. Dalhousie 6 Grimsby S. 3

Pt. Dalhousie 12 Beamsville 0

### MIDGET C. O.M.H.A.

Thorold 3 Beamsville 2

Beamsville 4 Merriton 0

### GRIMSBY LIONS MIDGET

#### Minor

Cleveland 1 Buffalo 0

St. Louis 4 Syracuse 0

#### Major

Detroit 4 Canadiens 0

Boston 4 Maple Leafs 4

### EXHIBITION

Grimsby H. 12 Smithville 1

Grimsby P.S. 5 Beach Public 1

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Monarch 979 1150 911-2

Fliers 1222 967 868-2

Iron Kings 861 854 1049-1

## THIRTY MIDGETS WIN OVER MERRITTON

Thirty Midgets, entered in the Niagara District Midget Series of the O.M.H.A., walked off with their first win in two starts shutting out the Merriton A.A. entry down in the paper town.

Jointly sponsored by the 30 Community Club and the Beams Lions, the Midgets are showing up pretty well against more experienced competition, and will have to go this Saturday when they meet the St. Catharines team at the Grimsby arena at eleven o'clock.

Hansberger, Selby, Pogachar and Weiss notched the four counters while Freddy Shorthouse played well in the nets, and deserved his shutout.

The well, and well-poised, person has all emotions under control. is calm and not easily disturbed. So, says the Department of National Health and Welfare, chronic crossness and irritability is a sure sign of poor health, and the person who persistently "flies off the handle" should see the family doctor. While admitting that everyone has "off-days," the health authorities declare that no one should be grouchy all the time.

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